

Not Currency at All.

When will the papers which support the gold system in this state, see that a paper currency had no more to do with the financial crisis in the East than Captain Jack. When will they discover from their own files, that on the closing day of the panic a dollar in greenbacks was worth just exactly as much gold as it was a week before the crisis took place. The fact is, the people for two great reasons have lost faith in railroad stocks. The first is this: Credit Mobiliers, Construction Committees, and other swindling corporations have been from East to West, North to South, over all this wide land. They have stolen boldly, shamelessly, and have legged themselves with those in power that the due punishment might not follow their crimes. No department of the Government, no officer from the President down has been free from their bribery. The great head and front of many steals has been the President himself. He has not hesitated, time after time, to sell his name and influence for gold. Legislators, revering the man whom they suppose saved their country in its danger hour, have not looked into the honesty of the enterprises bearing his name. The President's example has been only too well followed. Every petty, political lord, master of a dozen primary offices, or controlling some little patronage, has sold his power, stealing everywhere—honesty nowhere, or so concealed as to be scarcely discovered. The second cause is this: The market has been crowded with stocks. Railroads have been built faster than the settlement of the country has demanded. Their bonds, by a stupendous system of advertising and by a great discount from the face, have been thrown upon the market, which has been completely choked.

From these two causes there was no faith in bonds left in the people. They were shy to invest in stocks which experience had proved unproductive. They were unwilling to trust any man's word or bond, when they saw corruption winked at by those in high places, and stalking unpunished. Consequently, the financial agents who had burdened themselves with bonds, unable to dispose of them, unable to pay even the interest on those already sold, were compelled to suspend. They would have been no more able to sell if gold had been the currency, than they were with greenbacks. They must have failed under any circumstances.

The Coming Fair.

It has been asserted by a few individuals of contracted intellects that the association is giving too much money for horse prizes, and not enough for agricultural products. Probably not one person who is of this opinion ever subscribed a dollar, or owns a cent of scrip in the association. That the Agricultural Association may from time to time make mistakes is probable. *Humanum est errare*. In this one point its head is as level as die. Beets, cabbages, fruits and industries are all proportionately rewarded, but a country that is celebrated for its blooded stock stands a little higher than one whose forte is raising pumpkins. The Agricultural Association has in hand an immense, a stupendous undertaking. Through strenuous efforts of members and its Secretary a huge debt has already been paid off. The extra prizes of such great value are the result of private liberality, and the subscriptions are the voluntary gift of the best citizens. Comparison with other fairs shows that Los Angeles and the South is far ahead of all other states in its proportional premiums for native industries and home products. It is every citizen's duty to lift as far as can be the arduous duties from off the shoulders of the spirited stockholders of the association, and the appearance of the best horses in the State at the fair is most earnestly to be desired.

The County and the Railroad.

The *Bulletin* urges Los Angeles to exact a guarantee for the completion of the Southern Pacific railroad to San Francisco within the specified time, and of the connection with Anaheim, before transferring the bonds of the county. This advice is timely; not that there is any reasonable fear that the company will not perform all they have promised. Their action in the past renders it almost certain they will keep their engagement in the future. But, when a private party makes a contract, he wishes security, and it is thought foolish and unbusinesslike, if he neglects all guarantees possible, no matter how honest and honorable the man with whom he is dealing may be. That course, which it is appropriate for a private party to pursue, is the one for the public. Far more guarantees are required that a man may be honest in his dealings with a community, than in his dealings with individuals. Many who would shrink from wronging one man, shrink not from wronging many combined. Let our Supervisors in this look to our common interests.

Putting up new dwelling houses is the order of the day in Kernville. The town is supplied with stores and shops. Murphy, Brown and Green, are the principal merchants. Two fine hotels, the Kernville Hotel and the Olympic. The town is apparently well supplied with mechanics of different trades. The new discoveries being made astonish the "oldest inhabitants," who thought the place finished. [*Havilah Miner*.

Grangers and Railroads.

Whether the Western Grangers have been indiscreet or not in the yielding of their immense influence, yet their bitterest opponents admit the strength of the organization. If the *HERALD* thought that the publication of the following article could for an instant damage the prospects of the Granges, it would consign it to the waste-basket; but it is so thoughtfully written, and recognizes so thoroughly the good of the Farmers' Unions, that its words of warning as to the care with which their power should be wielded, are not misplaced. Whether the Granges has hastened the railroad crisis or not, their strength for good or evil is not doubted. As far as human foresight can predict, the Grangers will never abuse the influence they are so suddenly possessed of.

The sturdy blows given by western grangers to railroad interests, all over the Union, have not been delivered without producing some reactionary effect. Immense masses of grain and other domestic products remain almost hermetically sealed up in western granaries and store-houses, and this, too, at the very moment when they could command the highest prices in markets of consumption, and when the whole country is in need of money to the point of actual, wide-spread suffering. In killing railroad bonds, and militating without sufficient discretion against railroad interests, they have caused much damage to themselves and others with whom they are not at war. If western farmers thought themselves aggrieved by excessive freight charges, they were entirely right and justifiable in addressing themselves to an abatement of such grievances. This reform could and would have been effected in a natural and business-like manner, if the power of combination and organization had not led people unused to its exercise into the spirit of fanatical persecution, which extended itself to points having no possible connection with the one source of complaint. If western products were "corked up in a bottle" to use a Presidential expression, they could not be more effectively kept out of market than they have been by the grangers' onslaught. It is all well enough so long as the railroad companies have been dabbling too much in their bonds; that over-speculation plunged them under; that the rascalities perpetrated by some prominent companies have fanned the rest, and that the whole thing was a bubble which everybody knew must burst at some time, and was only prematurely pricked by the grangers. The fact remains that it was their action which precipitated the crisis at a period when we were least able to bear it, and that they have seriously injured themselves by the act.

Exchange Specimen.

San Diego *World*.—For an article written in bad taste against a contemporary journal *vide* this paper of the 7th. From the beginning to the end, it is full of fight and abuse of McCoy and "other paper." Sorry that so thorough a gentleman as its editor finds such warlike measures necessary.

The Santa Barbara *Press* says of the *HERALD*: We have received the first copy of the Los Angeles *DAILY HERALD*. It is a fair, large sheet, containing a great quantity and variety of reading matter, and its object is well expressed in the introductory, as follows: To help Los Angeles and Southern California, and to better the condition and enlighten the minds of its inhabitants, is the *HERALD's* mission. In this may it receive the best wishes and assistance of all well-disposed and well-minded people.

Without forming a Mutual Admiration Society, the *HERALD* can honestly say of the *Press*, that it is a good newspaper, edited with great ability. It contains a notice to the effect that Madame Anna Bishop will shortly visit the South. *Tant mieux*. She will be assisted by Alfred Wilkie, English tenor; L. G. Gottschalk, eminent baritone, and brother to the late celebrated pianist, and Frank Gilder, brilliant American pianist, all of whom are spoken of very highly by the press.

The *Havilah Miner* says that it has a new laundry, plenty of trout and lots of rich ore; goes for McKee and after his chief, the world renowned De Witt C. Lawrence, and objects to its playing him with coin to rusticate. It also has the following item about Hammel & Denker: Mr. Henry Hammel, of the U. S. Hotel, Los Angeles, accompanied by his wife, has been in town during the week, on a visit to his partner, Mr. Denker, of the Bella Union Hotel. Mr. Hammel was formerly a citizen of our town and is well known by all old residents. He says it does him good to visit the old stamping ground occasionally. He returned to Los Angeles yesterday morning.

The *Sunday Chronicle* has a Boston Letter, and a Missouri number, a Spanish correspondent, and a story about *Anelia Ann*. Its operative criticism are headed "Footlight Flashes." It goes after Captain Clarke the "Sunrise" man, ends up the Modoc Tragedy, and gives the "Present" its thorough champion of the "Cross." The *Chronicle* is slightly the liveliest paper in the whole State of California. What it occasionally wants in dignity it makes up by its immense and early news.

Col. Lever, an American by birth, now in the services of the Mexican Government, is in San Francisco, endeavoring to enlist the sympathies of merchants in the opening of trade with the new port of Manzanilla, in the State of Michoacan, Mexico. This port, recently opened by Mexico, and provided with a Custom House, is about midway between Acapulco and Manzanillo, on the Pacific Coast.

Mr. Nordhoff the author of the celebrated work on California is in Santa Barbara with his family. As a benefactor of this district Mr. Nordhoff is entitled to the gratitude of every man who owns a dollar of stock or a foot of real estate in Southern California.

The Ventura *Signal* has a poem about *Saint Good Venture*. The translation neither makes a pleasant rhythm nor conveys a correct idea of the Franciscan saint's name. Otherwise the poem is pretty, and delicately written.

A chimney of ore, assaying from \$200 to \$700 per ton, has been opened in the Bright Star, Havilah.

PACIFIC COAST TELEGRAMS.

(Special to the Los Angeles Herald.)

SAN DIEGO.

The Delegation of the Pima and Maricopa Indians—Death by a Fall—The Military Telegraph to the East at Fort Yuma—Arrest of a Deserter—Escape of Pancho Lohese.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 8, 1873. J. D. Walker arrived last night with the delegation of Pima and Maricopa chiefs, en route to Washington. They leave on the steamer Orizaba for San Francisco.

The Mexican who fell at the Mission breaking both legs, died from the effects of internal injuries.

The construction party from Fort Yuma East on the military telegraph have built thirty miles. Superintendent Haines and Capt. Price, started a fourth party of construction from Yuma to Maricopa Wells, to-day.

Capt. Chas. Wheaton, commanding officer at Yuma, sent a sergeant and a private here with a requisition to the civil authorities to deliver to them the man Malcolm C. Walker, the deserter who robbed Dr. Rose at the Fort and beat a Chinaman nearly to death. He is held here on a charge of burglary.

The *Union* says four prisoners escaped from the jail of Del Castillo, by digging out, on the night of the fourth. Two officers, commissioned by the Governor, pursued and caught two inside the Mexican lines, the other two escaped into this country. One is the notorious Pancho Lohese, alias Fierabras. He is wanted in both countries for robberies.

LETTER FROM SANTA BARBARA.

EDITOR *HERALD*: Our town is flourishing, and we voted against subsidy.

More buildings have been erected here within the past two months, than in any other two months of our history. Houses are springing up in all parts of town with wonderful rapidity. On State street, adjoining Rice & Porter's stables, Mortimer Cook is erecting a two-story brick store, 25 feet front. J. M. Apodaca's fine two-story, iron front, brick building is fast approaching completion, and, when finished, will be the finest building on the street. In the post-office block, G. W. Stanley, and Dr. Wood, of the *Index*, are each building, side by side, two-story brick stores, which will add much to the appearance of that portion of State street. The Santa Barbara Lodge of Free Masons are negotiating for a lot, on which they hope to erect a handsome three-story brick building, to be used as a lodge-room, store-rooms and offices.

After some delay, the Mission Water Company have made glad our hearts by introducing the pure, soft Mission water into town, and the horses respectfully return thanks for the water-troughs erected at a number of street corners.

Our city fathers—bless 'em!—have made arrangements for again lighting State street with gas. In view of this, a meter has lately been put at the post on the corner of State and Ortega streets.

The steamer Ventura landed 63 passengers here last Monday morning, and some 200 landed from the Mohongo on Monday.

It is announced that our music-loving people are soon to have the pleasure of listening to a number of concerts to be given by the justly celebrated Madame Anna Bishop.

Messrs. Terry & Co. intend opening, on the 11th, a dry goods and furnishing store in the building opposite the Occidental Hotel.

LETTER FROM LOS NIETOS.

LOS NIETOS, Oct. 8th, 1873. EDITOR *HERALD*:—We think that the readers of your valuable paper, may not know that there is such a place as Gallatin, situated in the center of the beautiful and fertile valley of Los Nietos. This is the Egypt of Southern California, and we have the finest corn growing section of country about here. The town of Gallatin is situated one mile northwest of the Los Nietos Railroad Depot, and has one hotel, one wagon and blacksmith shop, one drug store, one livery stable, two dry goods and grocery stores, one boot and shoe shop, two butcher shops, and a fine district school building, with a flourishing school of over one hundred pupils. There are also two saloons, where, if you should come this way, you may revive the inner man, either with benzine or lager.

The Judicial Election, although close at hand, is exciting but of little interest. McKinstry stock appears to have an upward tendency. The candidates for District Judge are well known throughout the county, and men have generally made up their minds how they will vote. King for County Judge, appears to be the choice of the voters of this precinct.

We also have six candidates for Justice's honors, all of whom are presumed to be good and well qualified for the position to which they aspire. Frankell Bros. are opening the largest stock of dry and fancy goods, clothing, boots and shoes ever offered in this valley for sale.

Corn crops are up to an average, and farmers are expecting fair prices for the incoming crop. Barley is mostly gone, only a few crops on hand. Of porkhogs, there is a good supply, but not in the market on account of low prices. Hay is to be had in sufficient quantities to supply the demand.

A convict from Siskiyou county, on his way to San Quentin in charge of Sheriff Morgan, on the night of the 4th, took advantage of the darkness and made a leap from the stage down hill into the brush, about thirty miles of Yreka, and was not recaptured at last accounts, though the Sheriff and two citizens were holding him at bay in the brush until morning, when they anticipated an easy conquest.

The Pacific Mail steamer Colonia sailed for San Francisco on the 1st. This is one of the vessels recently built.

General Elliot of Benicia is soon to go east on a leave of absence.

Wools in the East are quiet. Sales for the month, 1,895,000 pounds. New York wool quotations are 26¢ 30 spring clips.

EASTERN DISPATCHES.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 6.—Donaldson's balloon reached Canaan in the north-east corner of this State at 2:30 P. M., when it was caught in a violent storm. It came down so near the earth that Donaldson and Ford jumped out. Lunt, who remained was caught in tree tops and also escaped. The balloon shot up again and got away.

NEW YORK, Oct. 7.—In commercial circles the feature of the business situation is one of gratifying activity.

The grain and freight export movement in wheat is on a liberal scale, and prices are quoted upward on receipts of wheat. There are large engagements of freights for British ports, embracing free shipments of wheat, petroleum and tobacco.

A Washington special says: Merton, Ross & Co. of London, have been appointed fiscal agents for the State Department in Europe.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 7.—A dispatch from Pottsville says the first snow of the season fell this morning, and it is quite severe. Snow also fell at Pottsville, N. Y.

LOWELL, Oct. 7.—John W. Pierce, Jr., cashier of the Merchant's National Bank, has been guilty of "irregularities," according to other officers in the bank, to the extent of \$5,000. Pierce is also Treasurer of the Central Savings Bank, but that institution is said to be all right.

KINGSTON, N. Y., Oct. 7.—The weather is very cold. About eight inches of snow fell.

Donaldson's balloon came down eighty miles from New York.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 7.—There are six hundred cases of yellow fever under treatment. There was a heavy frost last night, and no new cases appeared to-day.

CHICAGO, Oct. 7.—The Grand Lodge of Masons of Illinois met here to-day; about 1,500 delegates are present.

The Third National Bank resumed business to-day.

HARTFORD, Oct. 7.—Returns from all but four towns give a majority of over 6,000 in favor of a single capital.

FOREIGN NEWS.

LONDON, Oct. 6.—The Duc d'Aumale says that Marshal Bazaine, whose trial commenced at Versailles yesterday, will certainly be convicted and then pardoned.

A dispatch was received at the Ministry of War to-day from Gen. Mariones announcing a victory by his troops over a large body of Carlists near Agazusa, in Navarre. Many insurgents were killed and a large number taken prisoners. Mariones says the rout of the insurgents is complete, and his forces are in close pursuit.

LONDON, Oct. 7.—There have been 1,234 deaths from cholera in Vienna since July.

MAJOR, Oct. 7.—About 200 insurgents made a desperate assault on Cartagena to-day, and were repulsed with heavy loss. On the arrival of the fleet, the city will be attacked on all sides at once.

HAIFA, Oct. 7.—Reports diverge several bodies not entangled in the wreck of the Atlantic, one being that of a well-dressed woman.

PARIS, Oct. 7.—Garibaldi has arrived here.

BERLIN, Oct. 7.—Bishop Reinkells, of the old Catholic Church, took the oath of allegiance to the emperor to-day.

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MATAMORAS, Oct. 7.—Gen. Tejada, who was deposed by the Congress of the State of Coahuila as Governor, is raising forces at Saltillo, and has levied forced loans.

De Salla is recognized as Governor of the State.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 7. The wife of Charles Betts committed suicide last night by cutting her throat with a razor. The cause of the suicide is unknown.

Thirteen of the crew of the ship *Sunrise* have saved Captain Clarke in the sum of \$299 each, and two propose to bring action for \$5,000 each, in the 19th District Court, for damages.

The following passengers sailed for San Diego per steamer Montana: Mrs. Barclay, Mrs. Gaskell, L. Kepler, Mrs. Duncen, J. Hartenough, D. Cleaveland, C. A. Dieffendorf and wife, H. V. Berry, Harvey Yocum, Frank Smedley, J. Pontecost, H. B. Rekel, S. M. Butterick.

The Mountain Top.

EDITOR *HERALD*: This is the season of the year to visit the mountains. The scenery up our cañons is most beautiful—we do not think sublime is too strong a descriptive adjective. In the cañon one can see the same character of vegetation that flourishes in the country East of the Sierras. The beech, the maple, the white oak, and many other deciduous trees that are not dreamt of by the low-land Californians are to be found, spreading their broad and generous shade over vast spaces that need no shade from the sun's rays—being already sufficiently protected by the shadows cast from the misty mountain heights.

Such a cañon as we have above alluded to, is to be found back of the Santa Anita Rancho. In former years Hon. B. D. Wilson made a road up the side of the cañon to the top of the mountain, where an inexhaustible supply of good timber covers the table land.

No more inspiring, or health and strength-giving trip can be found on the face of the earth or in the mid-mountain air.

If you don't believe it, go and see, and be satisfied.

You newspaper men have no idea what beauty and loveliness is to be found near the city. Proclaim a general holiday, and go out and see such spots as are above described.

Yours, &c.,

TEGMINSE FAGI. [Probably all the newspaper men in the city would enjoy a little *regalans* sub tegmine fagi. Perhaps the writer will come and edit the morning and evening papers in their absence. ED. *HERALD*.]

Exports.

The following is the list of Exports in the Depot of the Los Angeles and S. P. R. R. awaiting shipment:

Corn Meal, sacks, 80 Hides, dry, 120 Wheat, barrels, 3 Bullion, bars, 120 Wool, bales, 12 Wine, 12

Scalping and Rescalping.

Scalping is a very insignificant operation, when it is considered that a little charity will replace the desired hair. The following story, though slightly Yankee, has been given to the *HERALD* as true:

The narrative says: That for some time past a process in surgery has been going on at New Haven, Connecticut, attracting much attention. During the early part of August Mrs. Ann Farley, employed in Davies' shirt factory, was unfortunate enough to bring her head in contact with a swift revolving shaft. The set-screws caught in her hair, and almost instantly her head was bereft of its flowing locks and of the flesh which propagated them. For a time it was thought the poor woman must die, for mental derangement and great physical prostration followed the scalping. After a while, however, the surgeons employed adjusted the scalp where nature designed it to be; but they only succeeded in demonstrating that a scalp, once taken from the head, could not by any aid of man be made to attach itself again to the patient. Had the operation during the period following the accident to coincide with that view.

The agony she suffered cannot be told in words. The friends of Mrs. Farley were anxious to have the hair restored, and to please them she submitted to the treatment in question. The surgeons, Drs. Smith and Park, determined to do what they could, and accordingly set to work. They took small portions of flesh from the arms of such as were willing to make the sacrifice, and applied them to the head of the patient. A few days sufficed to cause them to knit and grow. The operation has been performed over 40 times, flesh being taken from as many different persons, and the lady now has much more than one-half a scalp, with good prospects of getting a whole one.

The parties contributing the flesh say the pain attendant on the cutting is quite insignificant, and after an irritation of but short duration, the skin grows over the wound and "Richard is himself again."

Forty persons can point with pride to the cranium of Mrs. Farley and say, "A piece of my flesh adorns that head." When flesh is wanted, the doctors advertise the fact, and the rush, as witnessed Tuesday, is immense. It is yet too early to determine whether Mrs. Farley will live or die from the effects of her injury. The operation through which she is now passing is a novel one, and by reason of its novelty, plenty of applicants are daily found willing and anxious to contribute their mite to the general reconstruction of the suffering patient's head.

DIED.

TRAFFORD.—In this city, October 8th, Christina A., wife of John Trafford, Esq., aged 20 years.

The funeral will take place from the residence of Judge Trafford, at the junction of Spring and Main streets, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend.

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Admission, One Dollar Reserved Seats, 50 Cents Extra

Concert to commence at 8 o'clock.

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Lastspiel in einem Act, von Friedrich Schwanke in einem Act.

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WANTED—A WOMAN TO DO general housework. Apply at first house on Main, south of Fourth st.

WANTED—IN ALL NEIGHBORING TOWNS, a good local canvasser and correspondent for the *HERALD*.

WANTED—SEVERAL DAY BOARDERS can find good accommodations at Mrs. BACKMAN'S, Spring street, near First.

WANTED—DWELLING-HOUSE suited to a small family, and not more than one mile from the court-house. Address H. C. *HERALD* office, stating price and location.

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CANDIDATE NOTICES.

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE.

ANDREW GLASSSELL is hereby announced as a candidate for the office of District Judge of the Seventeenth Judicial District, at the judicial election in October.

Y. SEPULVEDA is announced as a candidate for the office of District Judge of the 17th Judicial District.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

H. K. S. OMELEVY is a candidate for County Judge of Los Angeles county, at the October election.

A. A. WILSON is a candidate for the office of County Judge at the October election.

A. J. KING announces himself as a candidate for County Judge, at the ensuing election.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

W. C. HOLMAN is a candidate for Justice of the Peace of

Los Angeles Herald.

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Ignacio Sepulveda, County Judge.
County Commissioner, J. G. Howard.
State Senator, B. D. Wilson.
Members of Assembly, Thos. D. Mott and Asa Ellis.
County Clerk, A. W. Bates; Deputies, C. W. Gould and S. H. Mott.
District Attorney, C. E. Thoms; Assistant, E. M. Ross.
County Treasurer, Thomas E. Rowan.
Superintendent of Public Schools, William McFadden.
Public Administrator, George Carson.
County Surveyor, F. Deanevire.
County Assessor, J. D. Butler.
Comptroller, Joseph Kurtz.
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MEETINGS OF SOCIETES.

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Royal Arch Chapter, F. A. M., No. 31—Second Monday in each month, at 7:30 P. M.
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California Resources.

The following article on the resources of California is clipped from the annual report of the Surveyor General:

In conclusion of this report I present for your consideration the table of statistics compiled by me from the reports of the Assessors of the several counties, exhibiting the industries and productions of California. These statistics are not fully complete, for the reason that I have not as yet received reports for 1873 from the counties of Mariposa, Mendocino, Tehama, and the county of Ventura, which fact, while it may materially decrease the totals of the State at large, will not materially effect the general exhibition between counties. These reports of the County Assessors are the only data provided as the basis of my report in this connection, and perhaps no other system would be more adaptable to the collection of such information. Still I am positively of opinion that the showing made in this report, and as previously made in the reports of my predecessors, does not exhibit results that do full justice to the claims of California.

The details of these statistics, being furnished by property owners to the Assessor of this county, are too generally placed at the lowest possible estimate, and given with the greatest reluctance, fearing their use as a basis of assessment for purposes of taxation.

The resources of the State of California are perhaps more varied than those of any other of the States in the Union. Its very large area, its geographical position, and the high elevation of its mountain ranges bestow upon it climatic advantages of the highest order. The extreme northern part of the State the temperature is never so low as to necessitate the precaution and inconveniences to which the middle States of the eastern slope are subjected. Neither is the southern portion so high a temperature as to propagate either the malaria of a tropical country or the lassitude and indolence of its inhabitants. Ever swept through her whole length and breadth by moderate winds, fresh from the blossom of the Pacific Ocean, the extremes of heat and cold are unknown to California.

The soil of California is as prolific in its character as it is varied in its adaptations, producing with equal facility the vine of continental Europe, the harder cereals of northern America and the luxuriant fruits and flowers incident to the tropics. Her mountain hills and streams are the depositories of gold, silver, and valuable minerals in quantities that have attracted the attention of the civilized world. Her inhabitants are the representatives of every nation on the globe—an enterprising, active people, that have in a few years erected a prosperous State upon the most remote borders of civilization.

With these natural advantages of soil, climate and mineral deposits, no uncertainty as to the future of California can reasonably be entertained. Her population is steadily increasing, her resources are each year being more completely developed, her immense area offers every inducement to emigration, and judged by the American standard of progress, she is destined, not only to maintain her past proved position amongst her sister States, but to attain a pre-eminence that shall be as enviable as it is deserved.

As shown by the statistics, 13,343,240 bushels of wheat were produced during the year A. D. 1871, and 26,809,667 bushels during the year A. D. 1872. This result, taken as correct, compares very favorably with the production of other States, while at the same time, a comparison of the number of acres cultivated with the yield in bushels, does not correctly show the average per acre, either as a general average or as applied to any individual county, for the reason that a very considerable portion of this crop is in California diverted from the uses to which, in other localities, it is invariably devoted, a very large amount thereof being cut for hay and much never cut at all, but used on the ground from which it is raised for the fattening of hogs. These causes, together with the low figures usually furnished to the assessors, will warrant that the average yield per acre is very much larger than can be exhibited by this report. The counties of Sonoma, Santa Clara, Monterey, Butte and Stanislaus stand at the head of the grain producing counties for 1871, and the counties of Stanislaus, Colusa, San Joaquin, Monterey and Contra Costa for the year 1872. Together with this yield of wheat, a large quantity of barley has been raised, which, in this State, is extensively used as a substitute for the corn and oats of the Eastern States. The wheat of California has attained a world-wide celebrity, it commands always the highest market price, and, as a crop, it is highly remunerative. Much of it is misused in the market of Europe, and the shipping advantages and yearly increasing foreign demand is causing this crop, each year, to become more and more the leading interest of the Pacific coast. Grain of many other descriptions is raised for home consumption, and the supply of the several varieties is limited only by the demand.

The fruit products of this State are perhaps of greater variety than those exhibited by any other branch of agriculture, and, in their variety, are more characteristic in their peculiarities of California climate and soil than any of the many evidences that have yet attracted public attention. All the fruits of the temperate zone are produced in profusion and attain an unusual size and flavor. In the more southern counties many fruits incident to tropical climates are produced with profit and in abundance. Oranges, lemons, figs, pomegranates, limes and olives are yearly figuring more extensively among California productions. The fruits of this State are demanded by the epicures of the East, and are shipped in large quantities to all parts of the Union.

The mountains of the Coast Range and of the Sierra Nevada are covered with almost virgin forests; embracing valuable timber of endless variety, the Coast Range producing an unlimited amount of the redwood timber peculiar to that locality and so truly valuable for its self-preserving qualities, as well as the laurel now so extensively used for various ornamental purposes. The large growth of redwood timber, as well as laurel, is principally confined to the counties of Humboldt, Mendocino, San Mateo and Santa Cruz. Millions upon millions of feet of redwood lumber are each year cut in these counties for the supply of home demand and for shipment to South American and Mexican ports, as well as to the islands of the Pacific Ocean. The pine, spruce and fir of the Sierra Nevada range supply the large demand for home consumption, as well as for the large extent of un-

timbered territory lying along our eastern boundary.

Cattle and sheep raising have become thoroughly identified with the interests of California. The even temperature of climate at once does away with the most serious obstacles incident to this branch of industry in the Northern and Middle States. The Winters are of such nature that neither cattle nor sheep require protection from the inclemency of the weather; good feed is found during all the months of the year; even in the driest periods of our long Summers the grass to all appearance is withered and unfit for consumption contains all the nutritious qualities of well-cured hay, while upon the first rains of winter the pasture is at once covered with grass to supply the needs of the succeeding year. Much attention has been of late paid to the improvement of the breeds of cattle, and whereas but a few years since the country was filled with cattle of inferior size and quality driven here in times of high price from the plains of Texas and Mexico, it has now become the home of the descendants of the valued domestic and imported breeds. The same follows with sheep and goats. Sheep in California are sheared twice during the year, and the product at all times commands remunerative prices. Ranges for these animals are plenty and sheep and wool growing in California has given it no small share of its celebrity. This may principally be attributed to the same climatic causes that offer such inducements in the raising of cattle. By sheep raisers here, it is calculated that the flock will more than double itself in number each year, and that the sales from wool will be in excess of all expenses incurred, thus leaving an annual profit of the total increase in number, amounting virtually to over 100 per cent, upon the amount invested in the purchase of a flock. The principal cattle-raising counties of the State are Monterey, San Luis Obispo, Siskiyou, Santa Clara, Sonoma, Kern, Fresno and Humboldt; and the chief sheep-raising counties are Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Fresno and Merced; the county of Marin far exceeding all other localities in the products of the dairy.

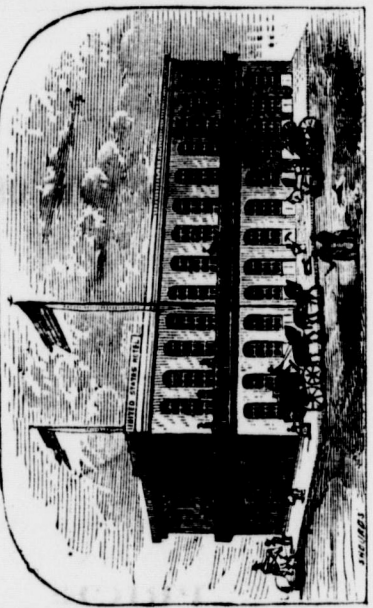
Wine making as a general industry is steadily pushing forward its claims to attention. Each year proves the climate and soil of California to be better adapted to the culture of the grape. Vines grow upon the hills and in the valleys, bearing an abundance of fruit of every conceivable variety. California wines are in constant demand in Eastern markets, and are yearly advancing in universal favor. The principal wine-producing counties are Los Angeles, Sonoma, Napa, Sacramento and El Dorado.

Wealth of the Counties.

We obtain from the Sacramento Union the subjoined compilation of the assessable property in the different counties, as ascertained from the returns made to the State Board of Equalization. It will be found valuable for reference in the future:

Alameda.....	\$40,080,410	Placer.....	\$ 8,147,736
Alpine.....	438,151	Plumas.....	1,392,205
Amador.....	3,180,226	Sacramento.....	28,802,276
Butte.....	7,141,021	Santa Barbara.....	1,401,172
Calaveras.....	1,540,819	San Diego.....	2,705,555
Colusa.....	8,745,322	San Francisco.....	232,000,027
Contra Costa.....	1,227,616	San Joaquin.....	20,230,029
Del Norte.....	680,800	S. L. Obispo.....	3,770,583
El Dorado.....	2,414,772	San Mateo.....	10,214,147
Fresno.....	2,000,543	Santa Clara.....	31,254,808
Humboldt.....	4,804,237	Santa Cruz.....	1,221,712
Kern.....	2,747,291	Sierra.....	1,624,659
Klamath.....	680,086	Sierra.....	2,325,840
Lake.....	1,814,119	Siskiyou.....	7,900,778
Lassen.....	338,640	Sonoma.....	11,691,691
Los Angeles.....	10,594,792	Sonoma.....	20,225,112
Marietta.....	1,234,360	Stanislaus.....	6,911,699
Mariposa.....	1,811,419	Sutter.....	4,714,339
Mendocino.....	5,182,178	Tehama.....	4,052,112
Merced.....	7,290,777	Tulare.....	2,803,319
Monterey.....	12,622,671	Yuba.....	3,140,190
Napa.....	12,622,671	Yuba.....	1,467,573
Nevada.....	8,944,681	Yuba.....	8,721,002
		Yuba.....	5,614,655

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